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A FANCY FROM FONTANELLE.

The one in the garden slipped her bud.
And she laughed in the pride of her youthful blood.
As she thought of the Gardener standing by—
"He is old—so old! And he soon will die!"
The full Rose waxed in the warm June air,
And she spread, and spread, till her head lay bare.
And she laughed once more as she heard his tread—
"He is older now. He will soon be dead!"
But the breeze of the morning blew, and found
That the leaves of the blown Rose strewed the ground.
And he came at noon, that Gardener old,
And he raked them softly under the mould.
And I wove the thing to a random rhyme,
For the Rose is Beauty, the warden Time.
—Austin Dobson.

Editorial Notes.

THEY are talking about a solid north down south now.

THE Second District practically has three Congressmen this year: O. L. Miller, Dick Blue and Al. Greene.

D. R. ANTHONY is dicker for the Kansas City Journal. The Journal has a great field and with a man of Col. Anthony's courage and force behind it, it would be a power.

NOBLE PRENTISS says of F. H. Robert, editor of the Oskaloosa Independent: "In politics he has been a Methodist Republican and in religion a Republican Methodist." And it is well said.

Editor Scott of the Iola Register, tries to prove by the Bible that Populism is all wrong. A Republican politician, like a carpet tack, is in position to do the most mischief, when pointing upward.—Ottawa Journal.

Exactly. Because the people who get hurt are going in the opposite direction.

When the whistle blew Kansas was on the point of knocking the spots off the Tiger. But it is all too apparent that by her victories in the past Kansas has pounded a good deal of foot ball knowledge into Missouri.—Capital.

Napoleon whipped all Europe for twenty years, but he finally taught his enemies the art of war.

REVOLUTIONS never go backward. If they do they cease to become revolutions. In the 53rd Congress there were 12 Populists. In the 54th there are but 6. The revolution has ceased.

A PLEASANT thing to read is that one of the features of the Thanksgiving celebration in Nashville, Tenn., was a parade of ex-Confederate soldiers who marched through the streets carrying the stars and stripes. The wounds are healing.

THE State board of charities has reported that it cost the State for running the charitable institutions over \$4,000 less during October 1895 than during the corresponding month last year. That illustrates the difference between real reform and professional Reformers.

It affords us pleasure, at the request of the Lyndon, Osage county Journal, to call attention to the fact that there is a good opening in that town for \$10,000 stock of general merchandise, a fair stock of furniture, a racket store, a tailor shop and a harness and saddle stock.

At last his enemies have in prospect their long-sought opportunity for his undoing. An apparently well authenticated rumor in current circulation in Iola some time this week.—Frank Montgomery in K. C. Journal.

Coming from a man who used to lead a choir out at Hays City and accompany the anthem soloist on a banjo, a reflection of this sort is very rich indeed.

THE Girard Press has issued a splendid illustrated edition, setting forth in the most attractive way the advantages and resources of Girard and Crawford county. Such a paper means a tremendous expense and a vast amount of labor, and we hope that the patrons of the Press appreciate it.

THE growth of the free silver sentiment may be fairly estimated by the fact that a grand total of eight Senators, four Populists, three Republicans and one Democrat attended the "silver conference" which was called on Monday with the expectation that it would develop a strength which would eventually dominate this session of the Senate.

THE Rev. Sheldon and Capt. Waters, and Eugene Ware and Archie Williams, are good preachers and lawyers and poets and things. But the readers of the Mail and Broeze will feel a good bit easier in their mind when Arthur Capper and Tom McNeal get back to work again. One knows what to expect from them. But these bloomin' geniuses—they jar you so!

WHY is it that men who have been conspicuous failures in the management of their private affairs are so

often filled with a convictions that they know exactly how to manage the National finances? There is Albert Griffin, now, who couldn't run a country newspaper, getting out a book on the free coinage of silver!

Jewell City Republican: An Illinois farmer has discovered that seed corn soaked in coal oil renders the growing corn chinch bug proof. He plowed up his wheat and planted the ground with corn. The seed of five acres was soaked in coal oil and the other forty was not. The bugs ate up the forty acres and never touched the five acres. It is worth a million. If true

The people never get tired reading the story of Abraham Lincoln. The November number of McClure's Magazine, containing the opening chapters of the Life of Lincoln, was out of print in two weeks after publication, increasing the circulation by 45,000 new subscribers. The first edition for December will be over 200,000 copies, a further increase of 24,000 and will contain other chapters in Lincoln's early life with 25 pictures, four portraits of Lincoln. One of the Lincoln pictures and many of the other illustrations have never before been published.

THE enterprising superintendent of schools at Osawatomie has arranged a course of lectures to be given by four Kansas men and tickets have been issued which read as follows: "This ticket will admit the bearer to four lectures to be delivered by the following eminent persons: [here follow the names of the four men.] Also to the chrysanthemum show." And now the "eminent persons" are wondering whether they are thrown in to attract patronage to the chrysanthemum show or whether the chrysanthemum show is used as a bait to draw an audience for them.

THE decision of the railroads to not issue passes to State officials who are allowed mileage by law will go far to correct one of the worst abuses that has grown up in this State. Offices which the law intended should but little more than pay expenses have been made to yield large revenues by the collection from the State of mileage which was never paid out, and they have therefore been sought, and often obtained, by men who wanted them for the money there was in them and not for the opportunity to perform a public duty. The new regulation will tend to make these places the positions of honor they were intended to be and will result not only in economy but in better service to the State.

WE have been trying for three or four weeks to keep the name of Rev. Pearse Pinch out of the REGISTER, for there is really no reason why it should appear here. But ever since we began to see the name in the Emporia papers some six months ago it has haunted us as Mark Twain's "Punch, brothers, punch with care," haunted and hounded him. In the busiest hour of the day the horrible alliteration of that most peculiar name has intruded, and in the dead watches of the night we have awakened with "The Rev. Pearse Pinch" sounding in our weary ears. Now that we have finally written the name and got it in cold type, perhaps the uneasy ghost of it will down and give us peace.

THE "Czar" is again on his throne. Congress convened at noon last Monday and Thomas Brackett Reed, of Maine, was elected Speaker by a vote of 234 against 95 for Crisp, 6 for Bell, and 1 for Culbertson. It is a great personal triumph for Mr. Reed, that four years after he stepped down from the Speaker's chair where he had incurred the bitterest hostility ever shown the occupant of that chair since the foundation of the Republic, he should be again exalted to the high honor. But it is a greater triumph for the Republican party that two years after having lost the House of Representatives by a majority of 95 it should regain it by a majority of 134. Talk about a party which can do that sort of thing as being dead is decidedly premature.

THE University has imported a doctor of the name of Holmes from some eastern school to teach Latin to Kansas students.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

MR. Holmes is a doctor of philosophy, and not a doctor of medicine, as some readers of the Monitor might infer. And this degree, the highest ever conferred by any institution of learning—was earned by years of the hardest work upon the Latin and its ancestral and contemporary languages. Mr. Holmes not only won this degree at Johns Hopkins, but he won two fellowships there, one of which entitled him to two years of

study abroad, of which he availed himself. He has published two or three books in the line of his special work that have attracted the warm praise of some of the most learned men in America and Europe. He is a broad and brilliant classical scholar and the University is fortunate in securing him.

THE President's message appears in full on the sixth page of this paper, and we cordially commend a perusal of it to any who may be inclined to think that there is not enough reading matter in the REGISTER since its enlargement. At this writing we have taken time to give it only the most cursory glance and therefore cannot say whether or not we endorse its opinions and suggestions. One thing we do feel impelled to say, however, and that is that the literary style of the document is excellent. It is dignified in tone, the words are well chosen, and the meaning of every sentence is clear. So far as our hasty glance has disclosed there is no bluster, no cringing and no partisan rancor. There! Talking about the flowers that grow over the garden walls of politics, isn't that a pretty fair send-off for a Republican newspaper to give to the message of a Democratic President?

General Sears, of Lawrence, who did more than any other man to lobby the big university appropriation through the legislature last winter, etc etc.—Topeka Press.

It would be interesting to know where the Press got this little item of information. Considering how absurdly untrue it is it must have emanated from the "General" himself, for surely nobody else has affection enough for him to perpetrate so palpable a falsehood in his interest. The truth is that what small influence Mr. Sears had in the legislature of 1895 was used against the University from the beginning of the session to the end. He spent a large portion of his time criticising Chancellor Snow and trying in every way to poison the minds of the Senators who would allow him to talk to them against the University and its management. He furnished a large share of the weapons which were used by the enemies of the school, and when any matter pertaining to the University was under discussion in the Senate Mr. Sears was seated, where he belonged, among the opponents of the measure and not among its friends. His counsel or assistance was never once invited by the real friends of the University for the very simple reason that they all recognized him as an enemy to the school. In short his hostility to every University interest was so patent and so perfectly understood by all who had anything whatever to do with the work of legislation in 1895 that the "gall" of his present claim seems well nigh incredible.

AS TO AUDITOR COLE.

THE fact that the Iola Register did not mention the trouble between Insurance Commissioner Anthony and State Auditor Cole over the expense bill for Anthony's trip to the meeting of insurance commissioners doesn't prove that Charles Scott isn't interested in that subject. He may have been over the same road.—Ottawa Republican.

THE law allows the Regents of the University their actual expenses while attending meetings of the Board. On one occasion when the Board was in session for several days we were obliged to hire a man to do our work at home. The expense was incurred solely on account of the performance of public service and we thought it was as legitimate a charge against the State as our railroad or hotel bills. But the Auditor thought not, and that settled it.

THE Anthony case seems to us to be considerably different. The law did not require Gov. Anthony to attend the meeting of Insurance Commissioners and made no provision for the payment of his expenses in case he did so. The law did require us to be present at that Board meeting and it provided that the expenses actually incurred should be paid.

BUT both of these cases aside, and speaking generally, it is our settled conviction that George E. Cole, State Auditor, is all right. We do not think that he is merely making a grandstand play of "cheese-paring" for a demagogical purpose, but we do believe that he is a genuine honest man, faithfully doing his sworn duty as he understands it, and understanding it, in the main, mighty well. He is setting a pace in the Auditor's office, which is likely to be the standard by which those who follow him will be judged for a long time to come.

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